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 Behavior Management Clear Behavior Expectations Proactive Redirection of Misbehavior Student Behavior 	 Providing props to be "my space" or add several props to make "shared space". Explaining expectations prior to activity Teaching how to use materials properly and safely. Busy children = happy children (less problem behavior). Importance for boys to move. How you introduce an activity is clear expectations especially around shared space. Be sure they know all guidelines of activity. Children understand concepts of self and shared space—use hula hoops to define each child's space. Using props and allowing all children to participate in an activity/no prolonged waiting. Having adequate materials for all children. Cultural transitions of movement. Monitor children throughout an activity to limit boredom and restlessness which may lead to inappropriate behavior.
 Productivity Maximizing Learning Time Routines Transitions Preparation 	 Enough materials for all. Use Choosy and other songs for transition shapes w/words as transition tool. Having props available. Use balls for transition. Transitional materials coupled with movement. Movement during transition—use variety of lines on floor. Movement instead of standing still. Transition activity-tossing ball to child to move onto next activity. Activities that all children move at the majority of time to decrease/reduce the wait time
 Instructional Learning Formats Effective Facilitation Variety of Modalities and Materials Student Interest Clarity of Learning Objectives 	 Use Activity above and explain purpose of activity of defining "space". Child talks about favorite fruit, use picture cards on "spots" to hop to. Allowing choice of materials. Music and using body in variety of ways. Fun props. Using at least 3 senses (visual, auditory, kinesthetic) when involved in the IMIL activities. Indicate the purpose of physical lesson or activity as it relates to safety. Model new movements with correct language



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 Behavior Management Clear Behavior Expectations Proactive Redirection of Misbehavior Student Behavior 	 String boundaries give clear behavior expectations. Use music for transition from one activity to the next. Communicate rules before activity so that expectations are clear. Use yarn or hoops for self and shared space. Provide clear boundaries and a visual cue (shared space) for doing the activity. Working in groups of 2 move to open spaces. 10.
 Productivity Maximizing Learning Time Routines Transitions Preparation 	 Use scarf line to help with transition through matching. Let children use yarn to write names. Have all materials ready for activity. Use materials during transitions. 10. Use props to reinforce concepts during transitions. Talking turns- use IMIL to reinforce turn-taking, props on body parts or in space.
 Instructional Learning Formats Effective Facilitation Variety of Modalities and Materials Student Interest Clarity of Learning Objectives 	 Materials help ↑ modalities/material. Props are best practice. Children will have access to a variety of materials and understand why they are doing activities. IMIL as the hook. Use props as visuals. Use scarves, string and body to make numbers and letters and shapes. Can also do it with a partner. The Squiggle-red yarn. Take yarnimagination. Clarity of learning objectives. Teacher would identify what children would do. Modalities-listening, visualizing, doing, props, read book, listen, children will break into pairs—do something with yarn. Hands-on materials/body parts. What else can we use?

